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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Hideaki FUJITA et al

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METHOD THEREOF AND OPTICAL PART USING

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Office Action dated February 4, 2003, the period of response having been extended one (1) month to June 4, 2003, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

15. (Amended) An organic waveguide comprising:

a substrate;

a buffer layer over the substrate;

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